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HOUGHTON, MIFFLIN & Co. will issue at once "The Life of Cardinal Newman," by Richard H. Hutton, the scholarly editor of the *London Spectator*, who cannot fail to make a book of great value and profound interest of the biography of one of the most prominent figures in one of the most important periods of modern ecclesiastical history. They have also just ready new editions of Lowell's "A Fable for Critics," with outline portraits of the authors mentioned, by Joseph Linden Smith; Christopher Page Cranch's "The Bird and the Bell;" Kate Douglas Wiggin's "A Summer in a Cañon;" and Nora Perry's "After the Ball." Of special interest will be the entirely new edition with new plates of Lowell's "Vision of Sir Launfal," with text and the illustrations by E. H. Garrett, printed on Japanese paper, an edition to be limited to one hundred copies, and sold with a special discount.

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Allen, J. Romilly. The monumental history of the early British Church. N. Y., E. & J. B. Young & Co., 1889. 14+255 p. S. cl., \$1.25.

Having briefly sketched out the methods by which the archaeologist arrives at his conclusions, the author proceeds to show how far the history of the early Christian Church in Great Britain can be elucidated by a careful examination of the vestiges it has left behind it, in the shape of ecclesiastical structures, sepulchral monuments and portable relics. The relative functions of the historian and the archaeologist are clearly defined. The writer has also written "Early Christian symbolism in Great Britain and Ireland," a volume of Rhind lectures.

***American ancestry;** giving the name and descent in the male line of Americans whose ancestors settled in the United States previous to the Declaration of Independence, 1776 Albany, N. Y., Joel Munsell's Sons, 1890. V. 5, 239 p. 8°, cl., \$5.

Anspach, Rev. J. M. Divine rod and staff in the valley of the shadow of death; or, consolatory thoughts for the dying and bereaved. N. Y., Funk & Wagnalls, 1890. c. 2-281 p. D. cl., \$1.

***Antoninus, Marcus Aurelius.** Meditations; tr. by G. Long; with a biographical sketch and a view of the philosophy of Antoninus; also an essay on Marcus Aurelius, by Canon Farrar. N. Y., A. L. Burt, 1890. por., D. (Burt's lib. of the world's best books.) cl., \$1; hf. cf., \$2.

At home: a book for registering "At home" days; designs by Alice Price. N. Y., E. & J. B. Young & Co., [1890.] no paging, sq. S. il., pap., 60 c.

***Atkins, F: A.** Moral muscle, and how to use it. N. Y. and Chic., Fleming H. Revell, 1890. 96 p. 16°, cl., 50 c.

Atkinson, M. Adelaide. The poor little sweep: a story of olden times in Philadelphia. Phil., American S. S. Union, [1890.] c. 4-119 p. 1 il., S. pap., 30 c.

Tells of a little boy who was enticed away from his own door-step by a chimney sweep, and went through a terrible experience.

***Atlantic reporter, v. 19;** cont. all the decisions of the supreme courts of Me., N. H., Vt., R. I., Conn., and Pa.; court of errors and appeals, and of chancery of N. J. and Del., supreme and prerogative courts of N. J. and court of appeals of Md. *Permanent ed.*, Mar. 5-July 16, 1890; with tables of Atlantic cases pub. in v. 45. N. J. equity reports; 51, N. J. law reports; 129, 130, Pa. state reports; 61, Vt. reports. St. Paul, West Pub. Co., 1890. c. 15+1198 p. O. (National reporter system, state ser.) shp., \$4.

***Auerbach, Berthold.** On the heights; from the German by F. E. Bunnett. N. Y., A. L. Burt, 1890. por., 12°, (Burt's lib. of the world's best books.) cl., \$1; hf. cf., \$2.

Bamford, Mary E. A piece of Kitty Hunter's life. N. Y., Hunt & Eaton, 1890. c. 236 p. D. cl., 85 c.

The young heroine, Kitty Hunter, confides her story to the pages of a journal. The events dilated upon are chiefly the death of a sister and father. Her efforts to earn a living are full of interest, as is also her development into a successful writer.

Barr, Amelia E. The household of McNeill. N. Y., Dodd, Mead & Co., [1890.] c. 5-327 p. D. cl., \$1.25.

The Highlands of Scotland bordering the stormy Sound of Jura is the scene. Here dwells McNeill, Laird of Edderlock and Otterdale. The Laird has two daughters. The younger marries in haste and repents at long leisure, and it is with her fortunes that the story principally concerns itself. The book is rich in pages descriptive of Scotch scenery.

Bassett, Rev. Ja. Persia: Eastern mission: a narrative of the founding and fortunes of the Eastern Persia mission; with a sketch of the versions of the Bible and Christian literature in the Persian and Persian-Turkish languages. Phil., Presb. Bd. of Pub., [1890.] c. 2-353 p. il. S. cl., \$1.25.

***Beard, Dan. C.** American boy's handy book. [*New enl. ed.*] N. Y., C: Scribner's Sons, 1890. il. sq. 8°, cl., \$2.

***Beard, Lina and Adelia B.** American girl's handy book. [*New cheaper ed.*] N. Y., C: Scribner's Sons, 1890. il. sq. 8°, cl., \$2.

Bellamy, C: J. Were they sinners? a novel. Springfield, Mass., Authors' Pub. Co., 1890. c. 219 p. D. (Authors' lib., no. 1.) pap., 50 c. Luke Swift, a young lawyer, falls in love with Mrs. Lloyd, a married woman. The story deals with this love, and the incidents springing from it. By the author of "An experiment in marriage," "The Breton Mills," etc.

Bennett, Lucy A. The briar and the rose: a parable from nature. N. Y., E. & J. B. Young & Co., 1890. no paging, S. (The Peniel ser.) pap., 10 c.

A souvenir, printed in colors.

Bennett, Lucy A. Good-night. N. Y., E. & J. B. Young & Co., [1890.] no paging, il. Tt. pap., 25 c.

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Bennett, Lucy A. Some better thing; and other poems; il. by Alice Price. N. Y., E. & J. B. Young & Co., [1890.] no paging, D. (The Peniel ser.) bds., 50 c.

Birds and flowers and verses, in colors and monotints.

Bennett, Lucy A. To-day. N. Y., E. & J. B. Young & Co., [1890.] no paging, il. S. pap., 10 c.

A souvenir.

Besant, Walter. Children of Gibeon: a novel. N. Y., Harper, 1890. 3-447 p. D. (Harper's Franklin sq. lib., new ser., no. 681.) pap., 50 c.

***Bishop, W: H.** The golden justice: a novel. Bost., Houghton, Mifflin & Co., 1890. 12°, (Riverside pap. ser.) pap., 50 c.

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Bismarck intime; the iron chancellor in private life, by a fellow-student; tr. by H. Hayward. N. Y., Appleton, 1890. 5-286 p. por. D. (Appleton's town and country lib., no. 60.) pap., 50 c.

Many graphic anecdotes illustrate Bismarck's career as a student, as a young man, etc.; other chapters are devoted to the marriage of Prince Bismarck, his home, his character, Bismarck in the Reichstag, Bismarck's popularity, Bismarck's witty sayings, etc.

***Blackmore, R. D.** Lorna Doone: a romance of Exmoor. N. Y., A. L. Burt, 1890. 12°, (Burt's lib. of the world's best books.) cl., \$1; hf. cf., \$2.

Blake, Mary Elizabeth. A summer holiday in Europe. Bost., Lee & Shepard, 1891 [1890.] c. 14+203 p. D. cl., \$1.25.

The writer's holiday was chiefly spent in Ireland and England, France and Switzerland. There are chapters on the opening of the Exposition in Paris and the Exposition itself, on the women of Paris, the ways of the French world, the Invalides and Père la Chaise, the Eiffel Tower, etc.; also descriptions of the cities of Orleans, Blois, Tours, Neuchâtel, Berne, Interlaken, Lucerne, Geneva, London, Dublin, etc.

Bodley, J. E. C. Roman Catholicism in America; [*also*,] The Catholic democracy of America. Balt., J. Murphy & Co., 1890. 1+77 p. O. pap., net, 25 c.

A reprint of two articles which recently appeared in the *Nineteenth Century* and in the *Edinburgh Review*. They offer together an interesting sketch of the rise and development and prosperity of the Catholic religion in the United States, together with the leading causes that have contributed to its extension.

***Brown, Mrs. E. W.** The whole world kin: a pioneer experience among remote tribes, and other labors of Nathan Brown. Phil., Hubbard Bros., 1890. 600 p. il. 12°, cl., subs., \$1.50.

Browne, Theo. Stephenson, [*pseud.* for Miss G. Hamlin.] In the riding-school; chats with Esmeralda. Bost., D. Lothrop Co., [1890.] c. 2-205 p. sq. S. cl., \$1.

The book contains minute reports of the elementary instructions given by French, English and American masters, and prepares the reader for private lessons, class lessons, exercise rides and music rides, and warns her of some of the difficulties of road riding. It also gives advice as to gymnastic exercise useful to the equestrian; hints as to dress in the school, and the latest fashions in dress for the road, with estimates as to cost. It is written in a bright, chatty series of talks with a supposed girl pupil. It is an open secret that the author, whose pen-name only appears on the title-page, is Miss G. Hamlin, one of the bright newspaper women of Boston.

Buntline, Ned., (*pseud.*) Buffalo Bill's best shot. N. Y., Street & Smith, [1890.] c. 4-188 p. 1 il., D. (Sea and shore ser., no. 23.) pap., 25 c.

Cable, G. W. Old Creole days; with an etching, by Percy Moran. [*Cameo ed.*] N. Y., C. Scribner's Sons, 1890. c. 79-90; 2+330 p. D. cl., \$1.25.

***Carlyle, T.** Past and present; with an introd. note by Rob. Thorne. N. Y., A. L. Burt, 1890. por., 12°, (Burt's lib. of the world's best books.) cl., \$1; hf. cf., \$2.

***Chipman, W. P.** Budd Boyd's triumph; or, the boy firm of Fox Island. N. Y., A. L. Burt, 1890. 12°, (Burt's lib. of the world's best books.) cl., \$1.

Christmas chimes. N. Y., E. & J. B. Young & Co., 1890. no paging. il. sq. S. (The Peniel ser.) bds., 25 c.
Colored pictures and verses.

Clark, Susie C. A look upward. Bost. Lee & Shepard, 1891 [1890.] c. 3-215 p. D. cl., \$1.25.

The doctrine of "Spiritual science" is here explained in a series of chapters called: Glad tidings; The law of progress; Diverse receptivity; God and the soul; Spirit versus matter; Good and evil; The bondage of fear; The

healing power; Suggestions for treatment; What constitutes a healer; Gifts of healing; Spiritual growth, etc.

Clark, Susie C. The round trip from the Hub to the Golden Gate. Bost., Lee & Shepard, 1890. 2-193 p. D. cl., \$1.

The route was through Canada to Chicago, across the plains to Santa Fé, and "over the desert to Paradise," which means in prose Pasadena. A chapter is devoted to Pasadena and its environs, to Los Angeles, Santa Monica, Santa Barbara, Riverside, San Diego, San Francisco, Santa Cruz, Monterey, Salt Lake City, etc.

Compayré, Gabriel. The elements of psychology, tr. by W. H. Payne. Bost., Lee & Shepard, 1890. c. 6+315 p. D. cl., \$1.

Contains only the essentials of psychology; written in terms readily intelligible to the ordinary reader; its tone and treatment are in accord with the Christian spirit, hence it is specially adapted for the use of teachers of youth.

Cragin, Belle S. Elsie Gray: a story of every day. Phil., Presb. Bd. of Pub., [1890.] c. '89. 2-384 p. il. S. cl., \$1.25.

A story for young people. It deals with real life, showing how its incidents and lessons improve the character.

***Craik, Dinah Maria,** [*formerly Miss Mulock.*] John Halifax, gentleman: a novel. N. Y., A. L. Burt, 1890. 12°, (Burt's lib. of the world's best books.) cl., \$1; hf. cf., \$2.

Dane, Daniel. Vengeance is mine. N. Y., Cassell Publishing Co., [1890.] 4+367 p. D. cl., \$1.50.

A novel. The hero, Arnold North, is a scientific man of high standing in London, who, notwithstanding his devotion to science, finds time to fall in love, and that, too, with another man's wife. The book abounds in startling incidents, and the characters are cleverly drawn.

***Darwin, C.** The origin of species, by means of natural selection; or, the preservation of a favored race in the struggle for life. N. Y., A. L. Burt, 1890. por., 12°, (Burt's lib. of the world's best books.) cl., \$1; hf. cf., \$2.

***De Quincey, T.** Confessions of an English opium-eater and selected essays; ed., with notes, by D. Masson. N. Y., A. L. Burt, 1890. por., 12°, (Burt's lib. of the world's best books.) cl., \$1; hf. cf., \$2.

Douglas, Amanda M. In trust; or, Dr. Bertrand's household. Bost., Lee & Shepard, 1891 [1890.] c. '66. 2-383 p. D. (Good company ser., no. 2.) pap., 50 c.

Drummond, H. The perfected life: the greatest need of the world. N. Y. and Chic., Fleming H. Revell & Co., [1890.] c. '87, '90. 1+25 p. S. pap., 20 c.

The author specifies many complicated and useless ways by which men and women seek to perfect their lives, and then gives as the one simple and effectual method the 18th verse of 2d Corinthians. Every man is a reflector, shows the environment in which he lives, therefore by making Christ a constant companion man will grow more and more like the perfect man. The greatest need is to keep your ideal perfect.

Eales, S. J. St. Bernard, abbot of Clairvaux, A.D. 1091-1153. N. Y., E. & J. B. Young & Co., 1890. 3+258 p. S. (The fathers for English readers.) cl., 80 c.

Gives a picture of Western Europe when Bernard was born in Burgundy, France, in 1091. Before his birth his mother dedicated him to the church, she having herself desired to be a nun in her girlhood. He was studious, and his austere education was softened by his mother's thoughtful tact. His manly and courageous character was combined with great tenderness of disposition, and from his earliest youth he rendered kindly service to all about him. His life in the church is made interesting by the author's style. Ten years after death he was canonized. Gives list of authorities from which the facts of the biography are drawn.

***Ebers, G.** Uarda: a romance of ancient Egypt; from the German by Clara Bell. N. Y., A. L. Burt, 1890. 12°, (Burt's lib. of the world's best books.) cl., \$1; hf. cf., \$2.

***Eliot, George.** [*pseud.* for Mrs. J. W. Cross.] *Romola.* N. Y., A. L. Burt, 1890. por., 12° (Burt's lib. of the world's best books.) cl., \$1; hf. cf., \$2.

***Emerson, Ralph Waldo.** *Essays*, 1st and 2d ser. N. Y., A. L. Burt, 1890. por., 12° (Burt's lib. of the world's best books.) cl., \$1; hf. cf., \$2.

Fawcett, Edgar. *How a husband forgave: a novel*; [il. by Télémaque Eksergian.] N. Y., Belford Co., [1890.] c. 3-228 p. D. (Belford American novel ser., v. 2, no. 10.) pap., 50 c.

A story of fashionable New York City life. The text is taken from John Stuart Mill and reads: "The moral regeneration of mankind will only recommence when the most fundamental of the social relations is placed under the rule of equal justice."

Frédéricq, Paul. *The study of history in Holland and Belgium; from the French*, by Henrietta Leonard. Balt., Md., Pub. Agency of Johns Hopkins Univ., 1890. c. 3-15 p. O. (Johns Hopkins Univ. studies, 8th ser., no. 10.) pap., 50 c.

Frémont, Jessie Benton. *Far-west sketches.* Bost., D. Lothrop Co., [1890.] c. 8-206 p. D. cl., \$1.

Story sketches of a Christmas Day in Southern California, of the troublous times when Frémont was a leader and a power in New California, of the Sierras and the "big trees," of a bail on the border, of camp life in California and Arizona, and of many other times and places all told in the direct and taking way that makes Mrs. Frémont a peculiarly acceptable delineator of American frontier life.

Gallagher, G. W. *One man's struggle.* N. Y., Funk & Wagnalls, 1890. c. 3-169 p. D. cl., \$1.

A temperance story, said to be founded on facts; tells of a crusade made by a brave and zealous young minister upon the saloons of a New England manufacturing city.

Gallagher, Rev. Mason. *The true historic episcopate as seen in the original constitution of the church of Alexandria*; introd. by J. McDowell Leavitt, D.D. N. Y., Funk & Wagnalls, 1890. c. 36+342 p. D. cl., \$1.

The chief obstacle to church union among Protestants at the present time is the dogma of the historic episcopate held by the Protestant Episcopal Church. The author, formerly a High Church Episcopalian, now in the Reformed Episcopal Church, endeavors to present abundant evidence that the view that the laying on of hands of a third order in the ministry is essential to a valid ordination was unknown in the Primitive Church, and is repudiated by the better writers even of the Protestant Episcopal Church, many of which he freely quotes.

***Gilbert, B.** *A narrative of the captivity and sufferings of Benjamin Gilbert and his family, who were surprised by the Indians and taken from their farm on Mahoning Creek, in Penn Township, Northampton Co., in the spring of 1780.* Lancaster, Pa., S. H. Zahm & Co., 1890. 38 p. 8°, pap., 60 c.

***Guizot, François P. G.** *The history of civilization in Europe*; tr. by W. Hazlitt; with a biographical sketch of the author. N. Y., A. L. Burt, 1890. por., 12° (Burt's lib. of the world's best books.) cl., \$1; hf. cf., \$2.

Guernsey, Lucy Ellen. *The hidden treasure: a tale of troublous times.* N. Y., T. Whittaker, 1890. c. 5-339 p. il. D. cl., \$1.50.

The hidden treasure is a copy of the Wycliffe Bible hidden by a martyr of the Inquisition before he went to the stake. England, in the years 1527-1538 is the scene of a well-told story of the Reformation and the breaking up of the convents and monasteries.

Haferkorn, H. E., and Heise, Paul, comps. *Handy lists of technical literature: a reference catalogue of books printed in English from 1880 to 1888 inclusive; with a select list of books printed before 1880.* Pt. 3, Engineering and mechanics. Milwaukee, Wis., Heise & Hafer-

korn, 274 Grove St., 1890. c. 7+168 p. O. cl., (*corr. price.*) \$2.75; pap., \$2.50. Key to same, 12 p. O. pap., 25 c.

Harkness, Albert. *An easy method for beginners in Latin.* N. Y., American Book Co., [1890.] c. 11+348 p. il. D. hf. leath., \$1.20.

The work is at once a book of Latin exercises, a Latin reader and a sufficient grammar for the beginner. It is intended to introduce the learner to such a practical and working knowledge of the Latin language as will enable him to read Cæsar or Nepos with some degree of pleasure.

Hector, Mrs. Annie F., [*"Mrs. Alexander," pseud.*] *Blind fate: a novel.* N. Y., H. Holt & Co., 1890. 1+326 p. S. (Leisure hour ser.) cl., \$1; pap., 30 c.

A husband's jealousy receives so much encouragement from the mean and petty nature of his mother, that in a moment of desperation he stabs his wife to the heart. He goes for a long time unsuspected of the murder, while an innocent man is being watched by the detectives. Just as the web begins to be woven around the husband he commits suicide. A love affair brightens the many sombre episodes of the novel. Scenes and characters taken from English refined life.

***Heitman, F. B.** *Historical register of the United States army, from its organization, Sept. 29, 1789, to Sept. 28, 1889.* Wash., D. C., Office of the *National Tribune*, 1890. 900 p. 8°, cl., \$8.

Hibbard, F. G., D.D. *Eschatology; or, the doctrine of the last things, according to the chronology and symbolism of the apocalypse.* N. Y., Hunt & Eaton, 1890. c. 7+360 p. D. cl., \$1.25.

The Biblical doctrines of the last day, death, judgment and the future life are treated from the standpoint of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

Horton, Rob. F. *Inspiration and the Bible: an inquiry.* N. Y., E. P. Dutton & Co., [1890.] 10+256 p. D. cl., \$1.25.

The author intends his book to be a bridge across the chasm between Biblical scholarship on the one side, and the general way of regarding the Bible on the other. He attempts to show the abiding foundations of the Bible unmoved and immovable, and at the same time to recognize and allow for all the facts which the acute and earnest study of a generation of Biblical scholars has brought to light. He addresses himself specially to the thoughtful unbelievers of the present day. It is a valuable summary of some of the important results of Biblical criticism.

***How to vote:** complete text of the ballot reform law of the state of N. Y. and other valuable information for voters. N. Y., J. H. Teackle & Co., 18 Broadway, [1890.] c. 32 p. T. pap., 5 c.

***Illinois.** *Supreme ct.* Reports of cases; Norman L. Freeman, rep. V. 130, cont. cases in which opinions were filed in Oct. and Nov., 1889, and some cases in which applications for rehearing were denied at the Mar. term, 1890. Springfield, Norman L. Freeman, 1890. c. 773 p. O. shp., \$2.25.

Joyce, Joseph A. *Adoption and legitimation of children: a brief.* [Oakland, Cal.,] Oakland Tribune Pub. Co., 1890. c. 8+73 p. O. pap.

***King Tolstoy's symphony; or, an Adamless Eve; a parody on "The Kreutzer Sonata."** Chic., Laird & Lee, 1890. 12°, (Pastime ser.) pap., 25 c.

***Kingsley, C.** *Hypatia; or, new foes with an old face.* N. Y., A. L. Burt, 1890. por., 12°, (Burt's lib. of the world's best books.) cl., \$1; hf. cf., \$2.

Kingston, May. *Bertha Gordon ser.* Bost., Congregational S. S. and Pub. Soc., [1890.] c. '88, '90. 10 v. il. Tt. cl., \$2.25.

Contents: Bertha Gordon at home, 5-46 p.; 2, English Allick, 5-48 p.; 3, Black Cindy, 5-46 p.; 4, The Dolly's cape, 5-46 p.; 5, The missionary cat, 5-48 p.; 6, Bertha at

Falmouth, 5-48 p.; 7, The secret, 5-47 p.; 8, The new club, 5-45 p.; 9, Cat stories, 5-46 p.; 10, A voyage on the *Robby*, 5-48 p.

***Klauser, Julius.** The septonate and the centralization of the tonal system: a new view of the fundamental relations of tones and a simplification of the theory and practice of music; with an introd. on a higher education in music. Milwaukee, Wis., W. Rohlfing & Sons, 1890. 8°, cl., \$3.

Ladd, G. Trumbull. Introduction to philosophy: an inquiry after a rational system of scientific principles in their relation to ultimate reality. N. Y., C. Scribner's Sons, 1890. c. 9+426 p. O. cl., \$3.

Addressed to the laity at large, as well as those who are in processes of education. Though called an "introduction," no special pains have been taken to simplify or popularize its treatment. Prof. Ladd says: "Though much of its language is somewhat foreign to that of common life, the subjects of which it treats are those which lie upon the minds and hearts of all the thoughtful. If to such any of my thoughts can be an introduction, or a *vide mecum* in reflection, my purposes will be the more completely attained."

***Lamb, C.** The essays of Elia; with an introd. and notes by Alfred Ainger, and a biographical sketch of Charles Lamb, by H. Morley. N. Y., A. L. Burt, 1890. por., 12° (Burt's lib. of the world's best books.) cl., \$1; hf. cf., \$2.

***La Motte Fouqué, F. H. K. (Freiherr) de.** Undine, and other tales; from the German, by F. E. Bunnett. N. Y., A. L. Burt, 1890. por., 12° (Burt's lib. of the world's best books.) cl., \$1; hf. cf., \$2.

***Liebig, G. A., jr., and Rohé, G. H., M.D.** Practical electricity in medicine and surgery. Phil., F. A. Davis, 1890. 8+3-383 p. il. 12°, cl., \$2.

***Liliput classics:** a ser. of ten little volumes of the best stories, essays, poems, etc. Bost., Houghton, Mifflin & Co., 1890. 10 v., pap., \$2.50; or, separately, *each*, 25 c.

Lisle, Annie. Whose wife is she? N. Y., Street & Smith, [1890.] c. 4-226 p. 1 il. D. (Select ser., no. 59.) pap., 25 c.

Lowell, Ja. Russell. The writings of Ja. Russell Lowell. *New Riverside ed.* In 10 v. V. 3 and 4. Literary essays. Bost., Houghton, Mifflin & Co., 1890. c. 70, '90. 4+366; 4+413 p. D. cl., *each*, \$1.50; *large-pap. ed.* \$4.

Mabie, Hamilton Wright. My study fire. N. Y., Dodd, Mead & Co., 1890. 4+199 p. D. bds., \$1.25.

Twenty-two chapters of musings upon men and things indulged in by the editor of the *Christian Union* at his pleasant fireside, often surrounded by his dear wife Rosalind and their two lovely children. Many of his thoughts are given to books, and include some delightful criticisms on the writers of the hour, as well as on authors already conceded to be standard, if not classic. The chapters on genius and poetry are exquisitely written.

McConnell, S. D., D.D. History of the American Episcopal church from the planting of the colonies to the end of the civil war. N. Y., T. Whittaker, 1890. c. 10+392 p. O. cl., \$2.

The author is rector of St. Stephen's P. E. Church, Philadelphia. He defines the position of the Episcopal Church in America, describes its vicissitudes and the influences which have made it what it is; points out its excellences and shortcomings with outspoken honesty. Dr. McConnell attempts to show that the religious history of this country is as peculiar and far-reaching as its political history, and that the influences which shape it are as actively at work now as they have been at any time. The special characteristics of American Christianity are tellingly put before the reader.

***McCook, H. C., D.D.** American spiders and their spinning work: a natural history of the orbweaving spiders of the United States, with

special regard to their industry and habits. In 3 v. V. 2. Phil., Dr. H. C. McCook, 3700 Chestnut St., 1890. il. 8°, cl., \$10.

***Mahaffy, J. P., D.D.** Greek pictures, drawn with pen and pencil. N. Y. and Chic., Fleming H. Revell, 1890. 8°, cl., \$3.20.

***Maine. Supreme ct.** Reports of cases; by C. Hamlin, rep. V. 82, [1889-90.] Portland, Loring, Short & Harmon, 1890. c. 696 p. O. shp., \$4.

Martyn, Carlos. Wendell Phillips: the agitator N. Y., Funk & Wagnalls, 1890. c. 4-600 p. por. D. (American orators and reformers, no. 1.) cl., \$1.50.

This book traces Phillips' career from his boyhood to the time when he became one of the despised Abolitionists. It tells of his part in the great struggle, and of other leaders connected with him in it. Then, after victory, how he still worked for Negro suffrage—the last step in the black man's freedom. The book is filled with extracts from his letters and speeches, and gives three of his speeches in full, viz.: "The lost arts," "Daniel O'Connell," "The scholar in a republic."

***Massachusetts.** Manual for the use of boards of health, cont. the statutes relating to the public health, the medical examiner laws, the laws relating to the registration of vital statistics, and the decisions of the supreme court of Mass. relating to the same. Prepared by direction of the state board of health. Bost., Wright & Potter Pr. Co., *st. prs.*, 1890. no c. 16 p. O. cl., *n. p.*

Mead, Theodore H. Our mother tongue. N. Y., Dodd, Mead & Co., [1890.] c. 3+328 p. S. cl., \$1.50.

Written with the view of enabling the reader, without the aid of any other instruction, to correct any defects and imperfections that may exist in his manner of speaking our common language. These defects are found in the quality of the voice itself, in our manner of using the voice, in modulation, in articulation and pronunciation. All these points are treated in a thoroughly practical manner, the cause of the various defects being made clear, and detailed instructions given by following which they may all be cured. A vocabulary is appended containing some thousands of words commonly mispronounced in one way or another, and the correct pronunciation is given without the use of arbitrary signs, but yet in a way to be quite unmistakable.

Mercer, F. H. F. The spaniel and its training; to which is added the American and English spaniel standards. N. Y., Forest and Stream Pub. Co., 1890. c. 4-143 p. il. D. cl., \$1.

When the writer of this book, several years ago, stood in need of a work to instruct him in the art of spaniel training, he found that none existed which was at all suited to his needs. He was therefore forced to study out the subject for himself. The training system described in this book is the result of his labors. It will be found very useful to sportsmen.

***Mills, Wesley, M.D.** A text-book of comparative physiology; for students and practitioners of veterinary medicine. N. Y., Appleton, 1890. 8°, cl., \$3.

***Missouri. Supreme ct.** Reports of cases; F. M. Brown, st. rep. V. 100, [1889-90.] Columbia, E. W. Stephens, 1890. c. 754+7 p. O. shp., \$4.

Morley, H. English writers: an attempt towards a history of English literature. V. 5. In 2 books. Book 2, The fourteenth century. N. Y., Cassell & Co., 1890. 8+35 p. D. cl., \$1.50.

The first chapter is devoted to a history of "Church reform;" the others relate to Wycliff's earlier years, his position as reformer, and as teacher and writer; to Chaucer's earlier years, to his earlier poems, to "Troilus and Cressida," the "House of fame," "Legend of good women," the "Canterbury tales," etc.

Neath sun and star: a Scripture text-book; with poetical extracts for each day in the month; il. by F. Corby Price. N. Y., E. & J. B. Young

- & Co., [1890.] no paging, sq. Tt. (The Peniel ser.) bds., 50 c.
Printed in colors and monotint; pictures and verses.
- Newton, R.; D.D.** Illustrated rambles in Bible lands. Rev. ed. Phil., American S. S. Union, 1890. c. '75. 2+254 p. il. O. cl., \$1.50; gilt, \$1.75.
- ***New York.** Digest of the New York chancery reports, [etc.,] together with a complete index to editorial notes in the publisher's ed. Rochester, The Lawyers' Co-op. Pub. Co., 1890. c. 661 p. O. shp., \$5.
- ***New York.** The complete election code; cont. the ballot reform law, rural registration act, and other election laws as are in force in 1890; with notes, explanations, forms and instructions, by G. R. Donnan. Alb., Weed, Parsons & Co., 1890. c. 20+495 p. O. pap., \$1.50.
- ***New York.** The general statutes for the year 1890; cont. all laws of a public and general nature passed at the 113th session of the legislature; carefully collated with the originals in the office of the secretary of state; also the laws relating to the city of New York. To be continued annually. Alb., Weed, Parsons & Co., 1890. c. 47+547 p. O. shp., \$2.
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Contains a large number of full-page pictures, with just enough descriptive letterpress to suggest an interesting story connected with each picture.
- ***Otis, James.** The treasure-finders: a boy's adventures in Nicaragua. N. Y., A. L. Burt, 1890. D. (Burt's lib. of the world's best books.) cl., \$1.
- Page, T. Nelson.** In ole Virginia; or, Marse Chan, and other stories; with an etching by W. L. Sheppard. [Cameo ed.] N. Y., C. Scribner's Sons, 1890. c. '87-'90. 6+237 p. S. cl., \$1.25.
- Pellow, T.** The adventures of Thomas Pellow, of Penryn, mariner, three and twenty years in captivity among the Moors; written by himself, and ed., with an introd. and notes, by Rob. Brown. N. Y., Macmillan & Co., 1890. 4+379 p. il. O. (The adventure ser.) cl., \$1.50.
A part from its interest as a tale of strange adventures, Pellow's narrative is valuable as a geographical document. It is a fairly accurate picture of Morocco between 1715 and 1738, of its cities, towns, public buildings, etc. Pellow visited many parts of the country for the first time, and several which not improbably have not been visited by any other European traveller. He was, moreover, a soldier under Muley Ismail, Muley Dehbehli, Muley Abdelmalek and Muley Abdallah, and was an eye-witness to most of the sanguinary episodes of their reigns.
- Pentecost, Hugh O.** Evolution and social reform; 3. The anarchistic method. Bost., James H. West, 1890. 301-318 p. D. (Modern science essayist, sociological ser., no. 14.) pap., 10 c.
- Potts, W.** Evolution and social reform; 2. The socialistic method. Bost., James H. West, 1890. 275-300 p. D. (Modern science essayist, sociological ser., no. 13.) pap., 10 c.
- Preble, H., and Parker, C. P.** Handbook of Latin writing. New rev. ed. Bost., Ginn & Co., 1890. c. 5+110 p. D. cl., 55 c.
- ***Rhode Island.** *Supreme Ct.* Index GG; index to decisions given during the time occupied by its April term, for the county of Providence, A.D. 1890. Providence, R. I., E. L. Freeman & Son, *prs.*, 1890. no c. 174 p. O. pap., 50 c.
- Ruppius, Otto.** José; from the German; ed. by Lillie E. Myers. N. Y., Street & Smith, [1890.] c. 5-301 p. 1 il. D. (Primrose ed., no. 6.) pap., 50 c.
A story of love and adventure in the western part of the United States.
- Saint-Amand, Imbert de.** Citizeness Bonaparte; tr. by T. Sergeant Perry. N. Y., C. Scribner's Sons, 1890. c. 5+306 p. por. D. cl., \$1.25.
Sketches the career of Josephine from her marriage with Napoleon to the period described in "The wife of the first Consul," the most romantic portion of her life and the days of Bonaparte's greatest devotion.
- Schleiermacher, F. Ernst.** Selected sermons of Schleiermacher; tr. by Mary F. Wilson. N. Y., Funk & Wagnalls, [1890.] 6+451 p. D. (Foreign Biblical lib.) cl., \$2.
Friedrich Ernst Schleiermacher was born in Breslau, November 21, 1768, at a time when rationalism was sweeping over Germany, threatening utterly to overwhelm the Christian faith. During his ministry he preached about four volumes of published sermons. The present volume gives twenty-seven, selected to give a wide range of subjects, and arranged as far as possible in the order in which they were preached. He died in 1834. A biographical sketch is given in this volume.
- Schurman, Jacob Gould.** Belief in God; its origin, nature and basis: being the Winkley lectures of the Andover Theological Seminary for the year 1890. N. Y., C. Scribner's Sons, 1890. 8+266 p. S. cl., \$1.25.
The Winkley lectureship of the Andover Theological Seminary has been occupied by experts in theology, economics, political science and law. The theories were largely historical or sociological, and generally of a practical bearing. An abstract subject seemed desirable for the present year, and the Sage Professor of Philosophy in Cornell University delivered the six lectures here collected in the month of March. The author has no desire or motive except to discover truth, and says that he will be deeply grateful for dispassionate criticism.
- Scripture picture-book:** Old Testament. N. Y., E. & J. B. Young, 1890. 7-125 p. O. flex. cl., 80 c.
Old Testament stories, with full-p. pictures; large type.
- ***Scott, Sir Walter.** Ivanhoe: a romance; reprinted from the author's ed., unaltered and unabridged. N. Y., A. L. Burt, 1890. por., 12", (Burt's lib. of the world's best books.) cl., \$1; hf. cl., \$2.
- ***Scudder, S. Hubbard.** The butterflies of the eastern United States and Canada, with special reference to New England. *New issue.* Bost., Houghton, Mifflin & Co., 1890. 3 v., por., il. and map, 8°, hf. levant, *net*, \$75.
- Smith, C. E.** The world lighted: a study of the apocalypse. N. Y., Funk and Wagnalls, 1890. c. 3-218 p. D. cl., 75 c.
The imagery of the first chapter of Revelation—the "magnificent array of light-bearers, seven golden candlesticks, the sun"—gives the author the idea that the fundamental idea of the Apocalypse and the key to the meaning of its symbols is the progress of truth in enlightening and saving the world. This he strives to make clear with reverence and enthusiasm.
- Smith, F. Harrison.** Through Abyssinia: an envoy's ride to the King of Zion. N. Y., A. C. Armstrong & Son, 1890. 7-263+4 p. il. D. cl., \$2.
When England became involved in war in the Eastern Soudan on behalf of Egypt in 1883, she was powerless to subjugate the Soudanese and effect the relief of the Egyptian garrisons in Soudan until assisted by King John of Abyssinia, or Zion. In 1883 the author was selected to go to Abyssinia as the bearer of a letter from the Queen to King John, and of the Sword of honor. He started the end of January, 1886, and this volume gives a detailed

account of his travels and of the various peculiar incidents of his sojourn in strange countries, among a strange people.

***Spencer, Herbert.** The data of ethics. N. Y., A. L. Burt, 1890. por., 12°. (Burt's lib. of the world's best books.) cl., \$1; hf. cf., \$2.

Stilwell, Lamont. Brief lessons on the human body: an elementary text-book on anatomy, physiology, hygiene and the effects of stimulants and narcotics on the human system, prepared for the use of intermediate and grammar schools. N. Y., C. E. Merrill & Co., 1890. c. '89. 3-128 p. il. D. cl., 50 c.

This book is the result of several years' practical work in the class-room. It has been the practice of the author to teach the subject of physiology topically, objectively and with such simple experiments as can be performed with inexpensive apparatus. The notes prepared for the use of pupils have been revised and extended from time to time, until they have grown into the substance of this little book.

Stockton, Frank R. Ardis Claverden. N. Y., Dodd, Mead & Co., [1890.] c. '89, '90. 498 p. D. cl., \$1.50.

The novel is thoroughly American, the scenes being laid partly in the south and partly in New York, but there is introduced into it a type of English character which has not yet been used in fiction. This type is found among the well-to-do English people who have adopted Virginia as their homes. The story contains many incidents, including a deadly encounter in the black darkness of a cave, the hanging of horse thieves, a duel, and other scenes of dramatic action. There is a great deal of outdoor life in the story, and artist life in the great city is also treated of, two of the most prominent characters being artists.

***Thackeray, W. M.** Lighter hours: papers from "The book of snobs," "Roundabout papers," etc. Bost., Houghton, Mifflin & Co., 1890. 32°. (Modern classics, no. 34.) cl., 75 c.; school ed., net, 40 c.

***Thackeray, W. M.** Vanity Fair: a novel without a hero. N. Y., A. L. Burt, 1890. por., 12°. (Burt's lib. of the world's best books.) cl., \$1; hf. cf., \$2.

Thomas d' Kempis. Of the imitation of Christ; il. by Rob. Dudley. N. Y., E. & J. B. Young & Co., [1890.] 4+107 p. S. cl., 75 c. With col. pl. and bound in white cloth.

Thomas, Cyrus. The Cherokees in pre-Columbian times. N. Y., N. D. C. Hodges, 47 Lafayette Pl., 1890. 2+97 p. D. (Fact and theory papers.) flex. cl., \$1.

An attempt to trace back the history of a single Indian tribe into the prehistoric or mound-building age. Dr. Thomas has already presented to the public some reasons for believing the Cherokees were mound-builders, but additional evidence bearing on the subject has been obtained. A more careful study of the Delaware tradition respecting the Tallegwi satisfies him that we have in the Bark Record (Walam Olum) itself proof that they were Cherokees. He thinks the mounds enable us to trace back their line of migration even beyond their residence in Ohio to the western bank of the Mississippi.

Thompson, Daniel Greenleaf. Evolution and social reform; 4, The scientific method. Bost., James H. West, 1890. 319-336 p. D. (Modern science essayist, sociological ser., no. 15.) pap., 10 c.

Thompson, Hugh Miller. The world and the man. N. Y., T. Whittaker, 1890. c. 3-258 p. D. (The Baldwin lectures, 1890.) cl., \$1.25.

These lectures continue the line of thought opened in "The world and the logos" and "The world and the kingdom," two former works by Bishop Thompson. The temptation of Christ is taken as the text, from which many lessons are drawn on the social and political questions of the day. The titles of the several lectures are: The outlook, Led up, Tempted, Bread, Kingdoms, The law of the case, The end.

Thomson, Jos. Mungo Park and the Niger. N. Y., Dodd, Mead & Co., [1890.] 6+338 p.

por. map and il., D. (The world's great explorers and explorations.) cl., \$1.25.

The life of one of the first African explorers, with a history of his explorations.

Tiffany, Francis. Life of Dorothea Lynde Dix. Bost., Houghton, Mifflin & Co., 1890. c. 12+392 p. por. D. cl., \$1.50.

A remarkable story is embodied in the life of Dorothea Lynde Dix. It tells of a woman in ill-health, with limited means, and with no political or social power behind her, who by sheer force of will and the strength of her convictions revolutionized the methods or want of methods used in caring for the insane in the United States, and succeeded in establishing State asylums in almost every State in the Union. During the late war she was at the head of the hospital department for the soldiers, and did most valuable service, which the government fully recognized. She died recently at the advanced age of eighty-five.

Todd, Elbert S., D.D. Christian missions in the nineteenth century. N. Y., Hunt & Eaton, 1890. c. 2-174 p. D. cl., 75 c.

Not a discussion of Christian missions, but an effort to call attention to some phases of this many-sided theme, which seem to have been neglected.

Twigs (The); or, Christmas at Ruddock Hall; il. by Rob. Dudley. N. Y., E. & J. B. Young & Co., [1890.] no paging, obl. Tt. pap., 50 c. A comic poem, il. in colors.

***Tucker, Mrs. C.** ["A. L. O. E.," pseud.] The Hartley brothers; or, the knights of Saint John. N. Y. and Chic., Fleming H. Revell, 1890. 226 p. 12°, cl., 75 c.

***United States.** Public land laws passed by Congress from April 1, 1882, to Jan. 1, 1890; with the important decisions of the secretary of the interior, and comm'r of the general land office, the land opinions of the att'y-gen., and the circular instructions issued from the gen. land off. to the surveyors-general and registers and receivers during the same period; by H: N. Copp. Wash., D. C., H: N. Copp, 1890. c. 2 v. 58+624; 625-1337 p. O. shp., \$9.

***Vermont. Supreme ct.** Reports of cases, 2d ed., unabridged, with notes and references by the editorial corps of the national reporter system. Book 10. cont. a verbatim reprint of v. 29-32 of the Vt. reports. V. 29, Williams' reports, v. 3. V. 30-32, Shaw's reports, v. 1-3. St. Paul, Minn., West Pub. Co., 1890. c. 6+253+6+280+6+288+6+335 p. O. shp., \$12.

Ward, Elizabeth Stuart Phelps, and Herbert, D. Come forth. Bost., Houghton, Mifflin & Co., 1891 [1890.] c. 4+318 p. D. cl., \$1.25.

"Lazarus, come forth," was spoken by Christ in the village of Bethany. On this miracle the authors of "The master of the magicians" found a novel having for historical background the vicinity of Jerusalem, Bethany and Capernaum, the customs and manners of the Sadducees and Pharisees, the decrees of social caste and the Biblical incidents of the time of Christ. Lazarus is supposed to be a master-builder. The heroine is the beautiful and queenly daughter of the High Priest, Annas. The descriptions are vivid, and the two romances running through the story are full of life and poetry.

Weatherly, F. E. Nancy Lee. N. Y., E. & J. B. Young & Co., [1890.] no paging, il. obl. Fe. pap., 25 c.

A nautical poem, with characteristic il. in colors.

Wider hope (The): essays and strictures on the doctrine and literature of future punishment, by F: W. Farrar, E. H. Plumptre, D.D., and others, with a paper "On the supposed Scriptural expression for eternity," by T: De Quincey; and a bibliographical appendix of recent works on eschatology as contained in the British Museum. N. Y., E. P. Dutton & Co., 1890. 11+436 p. D. cl., \$1.25.

De Quincey's article was first published in *The Intructor*, in 1853. In 1857 the Canon Farrar preached his five ser-

mons on eternal hope. The most noteworthy comment they called out was a group of essays and strictures, contributed by a number of eminent writers, clerical and lay, to the pages of *The Contemporary Review*. From these pages James Hogg has edited the present volume.

Wiechmann, Ferdinand G. Sugar analysis: for refineries, sugar-houses, experimental stations, etc.; and as a handbook of instruction in schools of chemical technology. N. Y., J: Wiley & Sons, 1890. c. 8+187 p. O. cl., \$2.50; interleaved, \$3.50.

Within the past few years so many changes have been made in the older methods of sugar analysis, and so many new methods devised and researches of importance to sugar chemistry accomplished, that a concise treatise embodying these changes is most desirable and timely. A list of books and of periodical literature bearing on sugar analysis is appended.

Wright, Julia McNair. *Sara Jane: a girl of one talent.* Phil., Presb. Bd. of Pub., [1890.] c. 2-320 p. il. S. cl., \$1.15.

Sara Jane is a young girl in her Aunt Maria's boarding-house. She is less than sixteen when introduced, but she is the centre of all the household life, a pervasive, inspiring presence everywhere. She is one of those cheerful

people who never complain and never tire. She settles all difficulties, keeps all the complicated machinery in motion. As the story progresses Sara Jane's usefulness extends beyond the boarding-house and reaches many other lives.

Zabriskie, Francis Nicoll. Horace Greeley, the editor. N. Y., Funk & Wagnalls, 1890. c. 2-398 p. por. D. (American orators and reformers, no. 2.) cl., \$1.50.

A fresh, readable account of the life of this remarkable man. The titles of its chapters are: The hour and the man; Early days; Training and tramping; Attempts at life; Incipient journalism; The tribune; The editor; Orator and author; The reformer; The politician; As a Whig; The free soil struggle; With the Republican party; The civil war; Reconstruction; The closing scenes; Friends and collaborators; Personal characteristics; Résumé and estimate.

Zola's fortune-teller, and guide to lucky dreams and speedy fortune. N. Y., Street & Smith, [1890.] c. 8-108 p. D. (Handbook lib., no. 5.) pap., 25 c.

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- Texas, Ct. of appeals. Repts. (Jackson). V. 28. (S13) O. shp. \$4.50.....*State of Texas*
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Wharton, B
- Turnover Club. Hall, Biff. (pseud.) \$1.50; p. 50c.
Rand, McN
- Two masters. Croker, B. M. p. 50c.....*Lippincott*
- modern women. Wells, Kate G. \$1.25.....*Lippincott*
- United States, Civil government of. See Fiske, J.
- Elementary hist. of. Morris, C. 60c.....*Lippincott*
- Short hist. of. See Scudder, H. E.
- Vicar of Wakefield. (Phonography.) Goldsmith, O. bds. 50c.....*Pitman*
- Vincent, J. H. Our own church. (S13) S. 60c.
Hunt & E
- Virgil. Opera. (Sidgwick.) 2 v. (S13) 16^o, \$2.25.
Macmillan
- Vittum, E. M. Faith on the frontier. (S13) D. \$1.50.
Cong. S. S. and Pub. Soc
- Warden, Florence. (pseud.) City and suburban. (S20&27) D. (Lovell's Westminster ser., no. 10.)
U. S. B'k Co
- Weeden, W. B. Economic and social history of New England. 2 v. (S13) D. \$4.50.....*Houghton, M*
- Wells, Kate G. Two modern women. (S13) D. \$1.25.
Lippincott
- Westall, W. Strange crimes. (S20&27) D. (Lovell's inter. ser., no. 94.) \$1; p. 50c.....*U. S. B'k Co*
- Whitby, Beatrice. Part of the property. (S20&27) D. (Appleton's town and country lib., no. 59.) 75c; p. 50c.
Appleton
- Whose was the hand? Braddon, Mrs. M. E. \$1; p. 50c.....*U. S. B'k Co*
- Wilson, Mrs. E. C. A royal hunt. (S13) D. \$1.50.
Cong. S. S. and Pub. Soc
- With Essex in Ireland. Lawless, E. \$1; p. 50c.
U. S. B'k Co
- Woman of the world. Robinson, F. M. \$1; p. 50c.
U. S. B'k Co
- Wood, H. F. Night of the 3d ult. (S13) D. (Lovell's inter. ser., no. 118.) p. 50c.....*U. S. B'k Co*
- Wood's (W. & Co.) Medical and surgical monographs. V. 7, no. 2. (S13) O. p. subs. \$1.....*Wood*
- Word and the will. Payn, J. \$1; p. 50c.....*U. S. B'k Co*
- Wright, W. Lectures on the comparative grammar of the Semitic languages. (S13) 8^o, \$3.50.....*Macmillan*
- Yale humor. York, S. A. \$1.50.....*York*
- York, S. A., fr., ed. Yale humor. 2d ed. (S6) 8^o, \$1.50.
York
- Young gymnast (The). (S6) S. (Manual lib., no. 9.) p. 10c.....*Street & S*

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All matter, whether for the reading-matter columns or our advertising pages, should reach this office not later than Wednesday noon, to insure insertion in the same week's issue.

In case of business changes, notification or card should be immediately sent to this office for entry under "Business Notes." New catalogues issued will also be mentioned when forwarded.

Publishers are requested to furnish title-page proofs and advance information of books forthcoming, both for entry in the lists and for descriptive mention. An early copy of each book published should be forwarded, to insure correctness in the final entry.

"Every man is a debtor to his profession, from the which, as men do of course seek to receive countenance and profit, so ought they of duty to endeavor themselves by way of amends to be a help thereunto."—LORD BACON.

OLD BOOKS WITH NEW TITLE-PAGES.

The Bookfinder, of London, boldly touches upon a subject which, notwithstanding its intimation, has come up for discussion more than once, especially in that portion of the press which has most to do with books and book-producers. We quote from *The Bookfinder* as follows:

"The practice of putting new title-pages to old books has been in use for years, and by force of example is steadily increasing. The addition of a new date appeared for a time to be considered sufficient, but of late years, grown bolder by degrees, many of our publishers, including some in the highest standing, have taken to adding 'Second edition,' when the only alteration from the original work is the addition of these words and a change of date. This refers principally to scientific works. From every point of view this practice is indefensible. It is misleading to the public and the retailer, and amounts to nothing more or less than a fraud.

"We challenge all the offenders in this respect to answer this question: Why do you put 'Second edition' on the title of your book and date it the present year, when it is the fac-simile of the first edition published some years ago?

"There can be but one answer. We shall be told that it is the custom of the trade, and that it has become permissible on that account; but that is no answer whatever.

"The true answer is, 'Because we wish the public to believe it is a revised and improved edition and brought up to date.'

"Now we contend this is as bad as the dairyman who labels his three-months' old eggs as new-

laid, or the newsboy who cries false news and sells you the morning paper for the evening special. The last offence is punishable by imprisonment, but as far as we know, no one has yet even dared to raise his voice against this iniquitous practice of the publishers.

"We have been told that no publishers will advertise with us after the appearance of this article. Perhaps that accounts for the silence on the point of that portion of the press who have most to do with books and book producers. We, however, refuse to believe it, and think that when the publishers fully recognize the gravity of the offence, it will speedily become a thing of the past. Our publishers as a body are upright and honorable gentlemen, and we look to them with confidence to abandon the present pernicious practice without more ado.

In the case of works of so-called literature it generally makes very little difference whether the title-page tells the truth or not. It is quite different, however, with scientific literature. In this progressive age changes are rapidly made in every department of science, and, as a rule, the publisher keeps abreast of these changes, modifications and improvements, by the reissue again and again of old books to which new matter has been added, and which frequently are partially reset, forming practically new books on their subjects. This is what a student expects to get when he finds a standard work announced to be in a new edition. Unfortunately there are some unscrupulous enough to label a book as a new edition, when in reality nothing is new in the book excepting the date. We have in mind an American reprint of a famous French cook-book which, from time to time, is announced as "a new and revised edition." As a matter of fact it *was* printed from "a new and revised edition," but since then the work has passed through ten more editions; and, though the author of the book is now dead, will probably go through ten more editions. The latest French edition of this work has for years been as little like its "new and revised" American namesake as the present issue of Webster's Unabridged Dictionary is like the reprint of the 1847 edition. We know the same to be true, though not in such an aggravated form, of scientific and medical works published abroad as well as in this country. This practice is pernicious and, as the *Bookfinder* rightly says, "amounts to nothing more or less than fraud."

Juggling with title-pages, by the way, is a trick as old almost as the art of printing. It was complained of in Italy before 1550; and shortly after that Johannes Gymnicus, of Cologne, was charged with the practice when reissuing the writings of Leonhard Thurneyser. Ludwig Elsevier, of Antwerp, the founder of the reputed firm of printers, was an arch-offender in this direction. He helped along the sale of his 1615 edition of "Meursius" and his 1616 edition of "Aristotle"

by prefixing new title-pages. He did not even hesitate about putting the name of another printer or bookseller on the new title-pages of some of his old slow-selling books. In a number of cases he omitted all typographical marks and name and put in their place a sphere. At times he "augmented" an old edition by changing the folios, so that the last page of the so-called "new and enlarged edition" would bear a higher figure than the original issue. And again he would create new books by binding two old ones together in one volume, as he did with his 1611 edition of "Culverius" and his "Les Tactiques d'Elie et de Leon" of 1613.

What has been accomplished by the modern publisher in the way of putting forth old books under new titles has been interestingly illustrated by Mr. James Lyman Whitney, of the Boston Public Library, in "A Modern Proteus." Doubtless much of this occurs through thoughtlessness, but cases are frequent, indeed, which would seem, to all intents and purposes, to be fraud.

THE event of the season has been the sale of the plates and stock of the old house of Robert Carter & Brothers on September 23. There were present about twenty-five bidders, and the prices were good beyond expectation. The whole list, with a few exceptions, was disposed of, the total realized being \$54,293.12. As this figure is but a little below the price put upon the stock by the estate, we presume all concerned may be congratulated upon the result, from a money point of view. Not so, perhaps, from another—of course entirely sentimental—standpoint. It was the policy of the Carter Brothers, as it is that of A. D. F. Randolph & Co., to keep their books only in what they considered legitimate bookstores, and therefore they consistently and persistently refused to sell their books to bazaar, dry-goods men, or to the so-called Library Associations and Literary Agencies. Their new owners will have no such considerations, and the old Carter books will, no doubt, speedily fall in line with the rest. Mr. Randolph will now be alone in the stand he has taken against selling books to any but those keeping a bookstore exclusively. We intend giving in a future issue the names of the purchasers and the books that they bought.

IN their latest contribution to the copyright controversy waged intermittently in the *Evening Post*, Messrs. Funk & Wagnalls make the following suggestion: Let the signatures of the members of the book trade who are honestly in favor of international copyright be procured to some such agreement as this:

"We, the undersigned publishers and booksellers of America, pledge that we will not publish nor handle any copies of an unauthorized reprint of a foreign book made after the date of this agreement."

This does not strike us as being so much "to the point" as Messrs. Funk & Wagnalls insist it is. Supposing "the leading publishers," who honestly believe in copyright, were to sign such an agreement, what would bind those who are honestly not in favor of such a measure? No, gentlemen, there is but one way—human nature being still in an unregenerate state—and that is, as the *Epoch* tersely puts it, "to have a law by which everybody shall be compelled to respect literary property without regard to its origin."

THE seventh annual conference of the Newsdealers and Booksellers' National Association will be held at 510 Sixth Avenue, New York, Tuesday morning, at nine o'clock, October 7. We understand that a "plan for an opposition to the American News Company" will form one of the topics for discussion. We would caution our friends the newsdealers not to "bite off more than they can chew." That is what they have done heretofore, and that is one of the reasons why the American News Company is still in tolerably good health.

A NEW ENGLAND hodge-podge shop-keeper, in hawking about a "Webster's Big Dictionary" for one dollar each, makes this damaging confession: "Of course the binding is poor, so is the paper. . . . A foundryman says they are cheaper than coal." That is what we suspected; being manufactured wholly of "wood stock," the so-called book may serve a purpose as kindling wood. It is good for nothing else.

A DECISION IN THE WEBSTER'S DICTIONARY SUITS.

JUSTICE MILLER, in the U. S. Circuit Court, St. Louis, Mo., September 26, rendered an important decision in the series of suits brought by the Merriams against the publishers of the 1847 edition of Webster's Dictionary. The point the plaintiffs wish to gain is that the publishers of the reprint print plainly, in connection with the title, an announcement that it is not the latest revised work made by the Merriams. Defendants here demurred. Justice Miller overruled the demurrer, but in doing so said practically that the plaintiffs had no good ground for suit, as the life of a copyright is only forty-two years, and plaintiff's exclusive right had expired. The Court was of the opinion that the complainants sought to establish the doctrine that a party who enjoyed a monopoly because of a copyright for nearly fifty years was entitled to a continuation of that monopoly. The copyright was accepted with the understanding that at the end of the period for which the copyright is granted the work shall become the property of the people. That is the law, and the monopoly cannot be extended beyond the life of the copyright.

This is the first expression by a court of standing on this matter, though one of the attorneys said in the argument that there were suits filed by the complainants pending all the way from Maine to California.

THE NEW TARIFF BILL AS IT AFFECTS PAPER AND BOOKS.

THE following is the text of Schedule M of the new (McKinley) Tariff bill which relates directly to paper and manufactures of paper:

PULP AND PAPER.

	New rate.	Old rate.
Mechanically ground wood pulp, per ton dry weight.....	\$2.50	10 p.c.
Chemical wood pulp, unbleached, per ton dry weight.....	\$6	10 p.c.
Bleached, per ton dry weight....	\$7	10 p.c.
Sheathing paper, ad valorem....	10 p.c.	10 p.c.
Printing paper, unsized, suitable only for books and newspapers, ad valorem.....	15 p.c.	15 p.c.
Printing paper, sized or glued, suitable only for books and newspapers, ad valorem.....	20 p.c.	20 p.c.
Papers known commercially as copying paper, filtering paper, silver paper, and all tissue paper white or colored, made up in copying books, reams, or in any other form, ad valorem.....	8c & 15 p.c.	25 p.c.
Albumenized or sensitized paper, ad valorem.....	35 p.c.	25 p.c.
Papers known commercially as surface-coated papers, and manufactures thereof, cardboards, lithographic prints from either stone or zinc, bound or unbound (except illustrations when forming a part of a periodical, newspaper, or in printed books accompanying the same), and all articles produced either in whole or in part by lithographic process, and photograph, autograph, and scrap albums, wholly or partially manufactured, ad valorem....	35 p.c.	15 to 50 p.c.

MANUFACTURES OF PAPER.

Paper envelopes, per 1000.....	25 c.	25 p.c.
Paper-hangings and paper for screens or fire-boards, writing-paper, drawing-paper, and all other paper not specially provided for in this act, ad valorem.	25 p.c.	25 p.c.
Books, including blank-books of all kinds, pamphlets and engravings, bound or unbound, photographs, etchings, maps, charts, and all printed matter not specially provided for in this act, ad valorem.....	25 p.c.	25 p.c.
Playing-cards, per pack.....	50 p.c.	100 p.c.
Manufactures of paper, or of which paper is the component material of chief value, not specially provided for in this act, ad valorem.....	25 p.c.	15 p.c.

THE "KREUTZERSONATA" ACQUITTED.

JUDGE M. RUSSELL THAYER, President Judge of Common Pleas Court No. 4, Philadelphia, on September 24 rendered an elaborate decision holding that Tolstoi's "Kreutzer Sonata" is not an obscene book. Charles Arentzen and other book peddlers were arrested at the instance of the Law and Order Society for selling the book. The case was elaborately argued before Judge Thayer, District Attorney Graham appearing as the prosecutor. The case was not sent to a jury, but treated as a question of law to be first passed upon by the Court. Judge Thayer in concluding said: "The work may be offensive to our opinions and convictions, just as others are which are daily sold in our bookstores without objection or challenge from anybody, but it cannot be justly said to be of an obscene or lewd character, nor is it, either in its sentiments or language, in any degree calculated to minister to corrupt or licentious practices, or to gratify lewd desires or to encourage depravity in any form."

"The Court was reminded upon the argument that the Czar of Russia and the Post-Office officials of the United States have condemned this book as an unlawful publication; that the former has prohibited its sale within his dominions, and the latter have forbidden its transmission through the mails."

"Without disparaging in any degree the respect due to these high officials within their respective spheres, I can only say that neither of them has ever been recognized in this country as a binding authority in questions of either law or literature. The defendants have committed no offence against the laws, and are therefore discharged."

THE BOOKSELLERS' AND STATIONERS' PROVIDENT ASSOCIATION.

AT a meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Booksellers' and Stationers' Provident Association, held on the evening of September 24, the following new members were elected:

John R. Bergh, John Anderson, Jr., Walter W. Pollard, Charles A. Marvin, Emanuel Per-gament, Frederick Vilmar, J. Kimball Roddy, C. A. F. Untiedt, J. M. F. Upaika, Le Baron D. Scribner, Howard W. Bible, George H. Scruton, Richard Weedon, Richard Horton, David M. Owen, all of New York City; and George W. Bible, of Bay Ridge, L. I.

WILBUR B. KETCHAM, *Secretary*.

COMMUNICATIONS.

RE-SELLING SUBSCRIPTION-BOOKS.

■ "A" SUBSCRIBES and pays for a copy of Stanley's book. After reading, he sells, or exchanges it with his bookseller. *Question*: Under the decisions of the courts regarding subscription-books, can the bookseller offer it for sale in his store, and not render himself liable to a penalty?

BOOKSELLER.

[Probably he can. "A" certainly can do as he pleases with his own. A subscriber is not under contract to keep.—ED. P. W.]

OLD BOOK CHAT.

AT Sotheby's a copy of the first edition of the scarce little volume, "The Loving Ballad of Lord Bateman," illustrated by G. Cruikshank, and published at 2s. 6d. by C. Tilt, has recently been sold for £11 5s.; Hasteed's "History of Kent" was knocked down for £17 15s.; and a copy of the first edition of the "Vicar of Wakefield" for £20 10s.

SOME MS. fragments of Dante's "Divina Commedia" have been found at Sarzana in two parchment rolls, discovered among the papers left by Signor De Tomei, a notary. They are of great importance, says the London *Athenæum*, as they belong to one of the first copies of the poem ever made. The Biblioteca Marciana of Venice has recently acquired a valuable codex of the "Divina Commedia," written in the first half of the fifteenth century, in semi-Gothic characters, and with marginal notes in Latin made by the same hand. The MS. belonged to the rich library of the Counts Piloni of Belluno.

AMONGST the large number of Greek papyri found by Mr. Flinders Petrie in the Fayoum, and now being examined by Prof. Sayce, are por-

tions of Plato's "Phædrus," in a text of the time of Alexander.

THE Trustees of the British Museum have published in fac-simile the papyrus of the Egyptian Book of the Dead, obtained for the Museum in 1888 by Mr. Budge. The papyrus bears the name of one Ani, a "royal scribe" and "scribe of the sacred revenues of Thebes." It was probably written in the fourteenth century B.C. P. Le Page Renouf, Keeper of Oriental Antiquities in the British Museum, wrote an interesting introduction for this issue.

Truth, of London, asserts that in this year's book sales the most striking feature has been "the extraordinary decline in the value of the classics, Elzevirs and Aldines, for which there would have been a most eager competition only a few seasons ago, now fetching only a few shillings." First editions are now in brisk demand, notably those of Burns, "which have just doubled in value (having risen from £66 to £120) in three years. A work which has risen in value with unprecedented rapidity is Halliwell-Phillips's edition of Shakespeare, in sixteen folio volumes, of which only 150 copies were printed. In May, 1881, a copy sold for £51, but the other day another copy, similar in every respect, fetched £171."

NOTES ON CATALOGUES.

THE SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION, Washington, D. C., has just issued a Check List of its publications to July, 1890, prepared by W. J. Rhees. It forms No. 745 of the Smithsonian Miscellaneous Collection. (34 p. 8°, 2 c.)

J. L. KOBER, Prague, has just issued "Cesky katalog bibliograficky za rok 1889," a catalogue of all books, journals and printed music published in the Bohemian language in 1889, prepared by L. K. Zizka and Bohuslav Foit.

GINN & Co. have published separately the bibliographical titles collected for Garnett's translation of "Beowulf" during the past few years. The author hopes that the full bibliographies that appear annually in the "Jahresbericht über die Erscheinungen auf dem Gebiete der germanischen Philologie" and in the "Anglia," and the prospective translation of Wülker's well-known and excellent "Grundriss zur Geschichte der angelsächsischen Litteratur," with additions, will relieve him of the labor of collecting these titles in the future, as the student of "Beowulf" will be able to find them by reference to any one of these works. (8 p. 16°.)

Catalogues of New and Second-hand Books.—A. S. Clarke, 34 Park Row, N. Y., odds and ends. (No. 30 of Literary Junk Shop, 32 p. 16°.)—Robert Clarke & Co., Cincinnati, Second-hand law-books. (No. 15, 56 p. 12°.)—F. M. Crouse, 38 N. Delaware St., Indianapolis, Ind., Miscellaneous second-hand books. (Sept. 25, 1890, 4 p. 8°.)—Excelsior Publishing House, 29 Beekman St., N. Y., Contents of popular recitation-books, for the use of booksellers and newsdealers, alphabetically arranged. (30 p. 16°.)—Mr. Evans, 197 Essex Road, Second-hand scientific books, and a large collection of works relating to Africa. (No. 1, 1890, 514 titles.)—D. G. Francis, 12 E. 15th St., N. Y., New and old books. (No. 96, 916 titles, 8°.)—Francis P. Harper, 17 E. 16th St., N. Y., Miscellaneous. (No. 45, 848 titles, 8°.)—M. Herold, Cincinnati,

O., List of works on penmanship, illumination, lettering, etc. (4 p. 8°.)—T. and J. W. Johnson & Co., 535 Chestnut St., Phila., Trade List, October, 1890, to Law Booksellers only. (4 p. 8°.)—S. B. Luyster, 98 Nassau St., N. Y., Collection of choice, interesting and scarce books. (No. 174, 410 titles, 8°.) Luzac & Co.'s Monthly List of Oriental books. (No. 6, 16 p. 16°.)—Joseph McDonough, 53 State St., Albany, N. Y., Miscellaneous second-hand books. (No. 67, 843 titles.)—Macmillan & Co., N. Y., Announcements for fall season. (8 p.)—George H. Rigby, 2413 E. Cumberland St., Phila., Choice and rare books. (No. 1, 228 titles, 16°.) This first catalogue is a splendid specimen of bibliographical work, and speaks well for its author and publisher.

BUSINESS NOTES.

ATLANTA, TEX.—Roach & Trice, booksellers, have dissolved partnership.

BATTLE CREEK, MICH.—F. E. Peaslee, bookseller, has gone to California, where he will in future reside. Great regret is expressed by the local press because of Mr. Peaslee's removal.

BLOOMINGTON, ILL.—A. Mansfield wants to sell his bookstore.

BUCYRUS, O.—W. G. Lewis, bookseller, has sold out.

DENVER, COLO.—Glasgow Keise & Co., booksellers, are selling out.

EDWARDSVILLE, ILL.—W. D. Harnist, bookseller, has sold out.

EMPIRE, MO.—Holden & Hopkins have removed their bookstore from Zincite to this place.

EVANSVILLE, IND.—Schmitt & Kramer, booksellers and stationers, have gone out of business.

FORT WAYNE, IND.—M. P. Stockbridge, bookseller and stationer, has been succeeded by Charles A. Stockbridge.

GREENFIELD, MASS.—F. H. Brown & Co. have just had their bookstore in Colonnade Block renovated. The old show-cases, which have been in the store nearly fifty years, have been displaced by some fine oval front, cherry and nickel cases, which greatly improve the appearance of their store.

HAMBURG, IA.—Rees & Sproul, booksellers, have dissolved partnership.

IOWA CITY, IOWA.—C. H. Pendleton has gone out of the book business.

ISHPEMING, MICH.—F. E. Cahoon has removed his book business from Saranac to this place.

KENNETT'S SQUARE, PA.—E. W. Entricken, bookseller and stationer, has been succeeded by Entricken & Swayne.

LAKE CHARLES, LA.—E. J. Chavanne, bookseller and stationer, is dead.

LAWRENCE, KAN.—J. H. Lane, bookseller, has gone out of business.

LINCOLN, ILL.—The partnership heretofore ex-

isting between Tunis Newkirk and Charles C. Reed, under the firm-name of Newkirk & Reed, has been dissolved by mutual consent, T. Newkirk retiring. The business will be conducted by Charles C. Reed, who assumes all debts of said firm of Newkirk & Reed.

LITTLE ROCK, ARK.—Borg & Danheiser, booksellers, have dissolved partnership.

MARION, IND.—Lee Davidson, bookseller and stationer, has sold out.

MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.—Farnes & Rothie, booksellers and stationers, have been succeeded by Farnes & Stevens.

NAPOLEON, O.—Theo. Suhr & Bro., booksellers and stationers, have dissolved partnership.

NEW YORK CITY.—At the regular meeting of the trustees of the Welch, Fracker Company, held at their office, Sept. 3, Arthur E. Welch ceased to act in the capacity of President, and Willard Fracker was duly elected to that office by a majority vote of the trustees.

NEW YORK CITY.—The certificate of incorporation of the Smith Publishing Company of New York has been filed, and the company is to print, publish and sell books, pamphlets, etc. Trustees, Titus K. Smith, M. Owen Roberts and Henry R. Pennover.

RED WING, MINN.—A. W. Pratt, bookseller and stationer, has been succeeded by Pratt & Pratt.

ROCKFORD, ILL.—E. P. Chaney has sold out his stock of books and stationery.

SANTA MARIA, CAL.—J. M. Miller has sold out his bookstore.

SCHUYLER, NEB.—Norman Ross, bookseller and stationer, has sold out.

SEDALIA, MO.—W. L. Beidler, bookseller and stationer, has sold out.

STEUBENVILLE, O.—By mutual arrangement, Mr. Kennedy Crumrine has retired from the firm of Crumrine & Timberlake, and Mr. John R. Kendall, who has been associated with that firm for many years past, takes his place. The business will hereafter be conducted under the firm-name of Timberlake & Kendall, at 122 Norfolk St., as heretofore.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.—Joseph A. Hoffmann, owing to the erection of a large building on the site of his store at 808 Montgomery Street, has been obliged to take temporary quarters at 120 Sutler Street. He devotes himself largely to his jobbing, subscription and agency business: He would like to receive two copies of the latest catalogues of publishers and stationers.

"PICK-UPS."

ON THE SHELF.—*Miss de Muir*: "Papa always gives me a book as a birthday gift." *Miss de Meanor*: "What a fine library you must have."—*Puck*.

THE LITERARY TASTE.—*He* (with a faint blush): Have you read "Bel-Ami"? *She* (innocently): Oh, yes. That is to say, I have read his "Looking Backward" and a number of his essays.—*Washington Star*.

LITERARY AND TRADE NOTES.

THE United States Book Co. will publish in this country Moncure D. Conway's monograph, "George Washington's Rules of Civility, traced to their sources and restored."

THE ALBANY BOOK Co. announce for October 10, "Looking Further Backward," by Arthur Dudley Vinton, still another answer to and continuation of Edward Bellamy's well-known novel.

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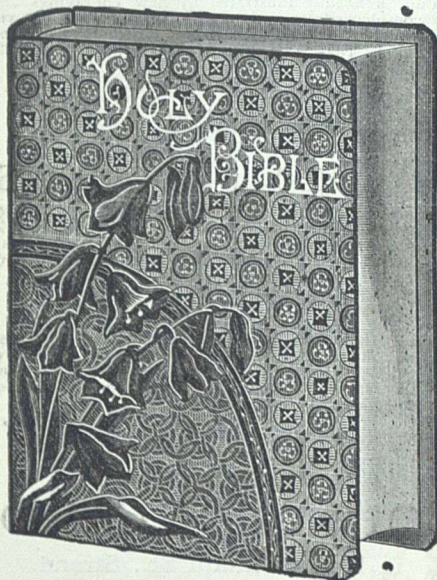
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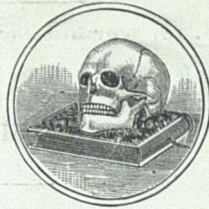
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